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LOCAL NEWS.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES. The Rev. Dr. Hownit, Pastor of the First

Baptist Church, expects to Preach his XXXIXth annual sermon, which is his 25th in this city, this morning at 11 o'clock. Religious Notice.-There will be Services in | paired to the scene of outrage.

the Basement Story of the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, on Summer street, to-day at 11 o'clock a. M., and 61/2 o'clock r. M., by Rev. Sabbath School at 90'clock a. w.

THE CITY COUNCIL AND NEGRO TESIMONY .- It ir generally known to our city readers that a proposition was made in the City Council, on Thurslay night, expressive of the views of the member who offered it, on the subject of allowing negroes to testify in the Courts of this State. One of the papers of this city, in its impression of yesterday. to make good his escape, without caring taunts the members of the City Council with timidity and cowardice, on account of its action on knowing that its taunts are unjust; because the members of the Board are generally in favor of the proposition as individuals. But the intelligent and reflecting members of that body appreciated the purposes for which they were elected. They know that Nashville is not the State of Tennessee, and they feel they have no sort of right, as representatives of the various wards of this city, to un. munity is outraged by such unlawful assemdertake to express the feelings and sentiments of this people, on a question which is wholly outside of their functions, and to which they could commit

The city authorities have already shown what they desired to be the action of the Legislature upon this subject, by the manner in which they have acted in reference to the questions presented by the action of Gen. Fisk some days since, There is no doubt of the sentiments, either of the city authorities or of the people upon this subject. But the City Council took a correct view of their position and duties. They were elected to direct and manage the municipal affairs of the Corporation. In their election they had no instructions upon any other subject. If the city of Nashville is required to express

ting negro testimony in the Civil Courts of the State, let there be a meeting called of the citizens themselves; and let them for themselves, utter their opinions, with what justness and weight may attach to them. This is our view of the Malone is not expected to live.
Billeton Maddox, of this county, was als

ton and Peter Young, were yesterday brought before Captain Patten, Provost Marshal, charged with breaking into a house in Pulaski, some time since. They have been sent to the military jail to await trial. Bur two cases were heard yesterday by the Re-

corder, and those were for drunkenness. MR. FRANE, the policeman shot by Watson, was

aproving yesterday, and some hopes are enter ained of his recovery. We trust that the policemen appointed for the

coming year, will be selected from those who will not be likely to injure one another. If crime is to be punished, and measures taken for its prevention, the guardians of the peace ought not to set an example to evil doers, WILL IT PAY?-We noticed in an article written

not forgetting, however, to remind them that by one of our cotomporaries a short time since, me very apposite remarks on the education of the young men of our city. It was stated that their As a wedding party was going from the Episcopal Church, on Christmas night, to ability for usofolnoss would be greatly increased, by devoting the leisure moments of each day to the their attention to be taken up with trivial matters It has been demonstrated by the experience of near the Randolph Mills, attacked success some of our wisest men, that a vast store of useful information may be acquired by carefully im- low would seize the heads of the horses, proving those unoccupied hours which occur in proving those unoccupied hours which occur in the life of every individual. Those who are well riage. The drivers succeeded in every inread in the history of our own and foreign lands, are aware that many men, whose early years were passed under circumstances which denied them the opportunity of disciplining their minds, have one case a couple of blows were exchanged the opportunity of disciplining their minds, have in after life become awake to their deficiencies assailant, in which it is believed the soldier and resolutely applied themselves to the busi- got more than he bargained for. ess of obtaining an education. As an appropriate illustration, we may mention a severe blow from a club.

the early history of the present President of the United States. He lost his father at the age of four years, and was afterwards apprenticed to a his mother's circumstances would not permit her to sand him to school: and it is said that he never attended school a day in his life. While serving as an apprentice in his native city, he formed the audable resolution to educate himself. His attention was particularly directed to this matter by e fact, that an acquaintance came frequently into the shop, and read aloud from various works; nong others, a volume of speeches. Johnson deermined to equal him, and therefore applied simself vigorously to study, occasionally obtainly apply to meat, flour, sugar, and butter—the hieavy items of the weekly bill. A careass of goo mutton, which would well divide among four a this season, might be bought at just about one has what it is retailed at per pound in the petty butch era' shops. In butter a great saving might like wise be made. Surely there are thousands of cass where this combination might be easily and safel made—in the winter season especially. Let the plan be tried, and we shall soon see the profits a the petty retail reduced to a point somewher within the bounds of reason." work with him. He at last learned to read quite fluently, but was ignorant of other branches of edueation. About this time he married an intelligent woman, who assisted him in his endeavors to discipline bis mind. Though his literary privileges were limited, no one will now assert, that he did not make a wise improvement of them. We only eite this example as an incentive to those in sim-How many young men of talent and enterprise

are filling positions infinitely below those which they might firm if they would only pay proper attention to the improvement of their minds. It is an objection very frequently made, that time will not persait study of this kind; but this very often arises from a misapprehension of what is really required for the proper discharge of duties of a more responsible station. Probably there are few young men in this community who could not, by a little effort, spend from fifteen to twenty minutes each day in obtaining useful information. Thos who have not had experience in this matter will be astonished to find how much can be done in this way. Suppose, for instance, that a young man finds his present position below that which he may reasonably hope to fill, and his ambition urges him to qualify himself for a higher sphere of action. Let him devote half an hour daily to study, and he will find in a short time that his difficulties will

vanish, and that he has become qualified for discharging duties which once appeared impossible for him to discharge, A fair trial will prove the truth of this assertion. to the young men of this city, and it is not necessary that they should leave their business and at-tend an institution of learning, in order to become acquainted with them. They have only to proof their difficulties will vanish like clouds be

night, sir?"
"Bianacle lamp aboard the Challenge vide themselves with the proper books, and then me this hour for-to make me dull? make up their minds to master the subjects of which they treat, and we venture to say that most | latitude and longitude the morning sun. Imperfections in early education are of course to be regretted, but they do no preclude the possibility of improvement in th If these views are at all correct, the young men of this country should not despair of filling high po-

sitions, merely because they seem for the present to be out of their reach. Industry and persove rance will accomplish wonders, and it is no doub true, as has often been remarked, that more difference is produced among men by a proper im-provement of their intellectual faculties, than by

THE MAILS.—The Maury County Herald comthe State, and thinks that all that is required in to let the citizens make their wants known, as the The same inconvenience is experienced in many other sections of the State, and we have heard it stated that it is difficult to find parties to carry the mails for the compensation offered. We think, however, that the trouble, in many cases, is with the people, and not with the Post Office Department.

siderable excitement exists in Nunda, relative to a cattle disease that has broken out among the stock owned by Mr. John P. Beardsley. Two vearling calves of his, at different times during the past week, have been seized with spasms and fits, and died within twenty-four hours. The disease appears infectious.

FROM THE SOUTH. GEORGIA.

the affair did not rest here. The

fired; his wife and himself having a nar-

ported the matter to the policemen on dut

negroes were in the act of breaking open the

door when the party watching at the gate gave the slarm that the guards were coming,

immediately desisted from their nefarious purpose and ran away, each one endeavoring

were arrested, and, we learn, are now in

own conclusions as to where we are drifting

in these times, when the peace of the com-

DEATH OF AN OLD AND REFPECEABLE

CITIZEN.-Mr. James Brown, died at the residence of Mr. Jones, in this city, Sunday

morning, after a few days illness of paralysis

Mr. Brown was a native of Ireland, and a

esident of Augusta for the last twenty years.

Modest and retiring in his manners, there

was no man in our community more re-

Mr. B. occupies a high position both in the social and business circles of our city.

He had long been connected with the mer-

cantile interests of Augusta, having been a member of the well known firm of Bones,

nearly seventy years of age.

At the time of his death, the deceased was

Sнот,-Dr. N. H. Malone, of Columbia

some unknown parties. His horse was

county, was shot Monday, above Harrisburg.

also shot. We regret to learn that Dr.

FROM ALABAMA.

On Christmas morning, the colored firemen

of Dexter, No. 1, and Alabama, No. 2, called

on our neighbor A. Strassburger, in a body,

to pay their respects. Our Aldermanic friend responded in his usual courteous style,

they must work. We will guarantee that

object of the miscreants was defeated, but in

The driver of one of the carriages received

THE PRICES OF LIVING .- The New York Time

which devotes a great deal of attention to the

the name, or if industrious citizens of limited

or five, living in the same neighborhood-to make

HEADING OFF A LAWYER. - Rufus

Choate in an important assault and battery

ase, had Dick Barton, chief mate of th dipper ship Challenge, on the stand, and coadgered him so for about an hour that at

last Dick got his salt water up, and hauled by the wind to bring the keen Boston lawyer

At the beginning of his testimony Dick

Then how do you know there was

Nautical Almanae said so, and I'll

"What was the principal luminary that

"Ah, you are growing sharp, Mr. Bar-

"What in blazes have you been grinding

"Be civil, sir. And now tell me in what

"Yes-I can't."
"Indeed! You are chief mate of a clip-

asked me. Why, I thought every feel of a lawyer knew there ain't no latitude on the

That shot floored Rufus Choate.

Sho! You are joking."

you to answer me.

"No, sir! I am in carnest,

"Ah, you refuse, do you."

lieve that sooner than any lawyer in the

had said the night was "dark as the devil,

and raining like seven bells." Suddenly Mr. Choate asked him-

"Ah, yes a moon-"

"Yes, a full moon."

"Did you see it?"

"Not a mite."

"Yes. sir."

"Was there a moon that night?"

their purchases of the principal articles of every

day consumption in common. This would especia

ly apply to meat, flour, sugar, and butter-th

they will heed his injunction whenever there

From the Montgomery Advertiser.]

spected for his social and private worth.

row escape-the balls just barely missing

New Year's Day .-- The Post Office will be

losed on Monday at 18 o'clock A. M. A HEAVY DEMONSTRATION .- Monday af-BOARDING ... A GENTLEMAN CAN PROrnoon a little black boy snatched some toys enre good Boarding on High, a few doors South the as om a white child on Ellis street. The

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Wilson's SEWING MACHINES, has just received his sixth shipment, within three months. Now if you wish to present your wives and daughters, or friends, a New Year's Gift, worth more to them incomparably than any other kind of present, call and examine, the handsomest stock of fortunately came up. Seeing the ent, call and examine, the handsomest stock of those machines ever brought to this market; and remember that this machine is the simplest and most perfect of all machines; takes the best stitch made and supposes all others in speed. Call at ticular subject treated of. made, and surpasses all others in speed. Call at Wheeler & Wilson's office, Masonic Temple, same door with Dorman & Fenton. dec29-1w

Hurrah for Christmas!--LAGER BEEL FIVE CENTS PER GLASS!—The well known firm, Steifel & Pfeifer, intend to sell Lager Beer, for \$10 per barrel, and \$5 per half barrel, to all consumers, in order to give an opportunity to all disciples of the great King Gambriaus, to dispatch the noble stuff of barley at Five Cents per Glass As during the holidays there is taken a little more as usual, of all good things; the willingness of said firm to give a cheap recreation to all thirsty souls ought to be acknowledged. dec25-8t

MAYOR'S OFFICE,

NASHVILLE, Tennessee, December 26, 1865. All applicants for position upon the NIGHT POLICE for the ensuing twelve months, are reprior to the FOURTH OF JANUARY NEXT. and the whole white race in general. Mr. J. B. Reynolds arose, and demanded what giving their residence and references.

None but those of unquestioned morality and they wanted. As soon as he appeared at the window, four muskets were leveled and

good standing need apply.

R. B. CHEATHAM.
J. T. YARBROUGH,
A. D. CREIGHTON, W. MATT BROWN, Mayor.

In the meantime, some person on them. In the meantime, some person on Broad street hearing the noise, and divin-ing the object of the infuriated blacks, re-Grand Tableaux and Concert.-The Ladies composing the congregation of the Second Cumberland Church, (Rev. Dr. Goodlett, Pastor,) at the upper market, who, in company with some half dozen others, immediately rewishing to render some assistance in paying the debts of the Church, have decided to have a series Their arrival was most opportune, as it, in all probability saved the effusion of the blood of innocent and unoffending citizens. The of GRAND TABLEAUX AND VOCAL CON-CERTS this evening and to-morrow evening, thinking the policemen were the white guard of soldiers who were patrolling the keeping order. The whole party of negroes

These are the facts as reported to us, and we have neither extenuated nor set down

DWELLING FOR SALE .- A brick house, two stories with six rooms; kitchen with two rooms; and two rooms in the basement, situated on Line street, between Cherry and College, and adjoining the residence of Mr. Sifly. The house is newly papered and painted, and in most excellent condition. Gas and water attached. For particulars J. L. & R. W. BROWN, apply to 381/2 Union street. dec 23-1w GREAT EXCITEMENT .- At T. M. Hobbs & Co., 6

North College street, 3 doors below the Square, Christmas, New Years' presents, albums, watches clocks, pictures, plated ware, jewelry, etc., to be boneht at one-half of which it can be bought a any other retail place in the city. All goods warranted as specified on the certificate; if not so, article returned and money refunded. Lady clerks in attendance. *dec 23-d7twlt

Boors ! Boors .- Gents Calf Boots made to o der at short notice, warranted to fit or no sale, at FULLER & STOCKARDS, dec 19-1w No. 43 Union street.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The Rev. Edward A. Wilson's Prepared Pre scription for the cure of Consumption, Asthma Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung Affections, has now been in use over years with the most marked success.

shot Monday, on the Washington road, by, The Remedy, prepared under Mr. Wilson's perunknown parties and severely but not dansonal supervision, also a pamphlet containing the original Prescription, with full and explicit direct murders, robberies and burglaries seem to be the order of the day. Is there no remedy? tions for preparation and use, together with short history of his case, may be obtained o Where is the security for a man's life or property, when men are shot down in the broad light of day.

G.W. HENDERSHOTT & CO., Druggists, Corner Cedar street and Square, Nashville, Tenn.,

Sole Agents for Tennessee. REV. EDWARD A. WILSON, 165 South Second Street, Williamsburgh, N. Y. Frice of Remedy, \$3,00 per package. Pam

phlets furnished free of charge, dec 20 colm LONE JACK !!! A large lot of this SUPERIO

Hamner Hall, in five carriages, two fellows SMOKING TOBACCO. For sale at in the uniform of United States soldiers, FOSTER BROTHERS. sively every one of the carriages. One fel-

A FINE lot of PURE SPICES, suited for Chrismas times. For sale at stance in whipping up their teams, so that the

CANDIDATES.

For Circuit Court Clerk HAVING been solicted by a large number of o friends, Will. L. Foster has consented to an nounce his name as a candidate for Circuit Cou lor. He was unable to obtain an education, as question of living, says: "A year ago, at whole- Clerk of Davidson county, at the ensuing March

sale, we were paying nearly an average of 50 per cent more than we are paying to-day for bread-We are authorized to announce the name of stuffs and provisions. At retail, in the shops of all David C. Love as a candidate for re-election to the petty dealers, the poor house-keeper pays as the office of Circuit Court Clerk of Davidsof much this week as he did twelve months ago. This would not be had we a market system worth county, at the ensuing March election.

For County Court Clerk. Lindsley Nichol is a candidate for election (second term,) to the office of Clerk the County Court of Davidson County, at the

ensuing March election. We are authorised to announce the namio Wm. S. Cheatham as a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk of Davidson county, at the ensuing March Election.

We are authorised to announce W. G. Ewis as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Davidson county, at the ensuing March election, dect-te. We 3re authorized to announce Thomas C Crunk as a candidate for County Court Clerk at the ensuing election. WE are authorized to announce Wriley W Philips as a candidate for County Court Clerk,

at the ensuing election. deci-te WE are authorized to announce W. C. Hall a candidate for County Court Clerk, at the ensu ing election. For Criminal Court Clerk.

We are authorized to announce Charles 1 Diggons as a candidate for Criminal Court Clerk of Davidson county at the ensuing March ele

For County Trustee. We are authorized to announce Phineas Go

rett as a candidate for County Trustee at the en-We are authorized to announce Thomas Shute, of the Fourteenth Civil District, as Candidate for County Trustee of Davidson County at the ensuing March election,

We are authorised to announce T. W. Ballew e a candidate for County Trustee of Davidso ounty at the ensuing March election. We are authorized to announce Captain John

Wilson, as a candidate for re-election to the of fice of County Trustee at the ensuing March elec-WE are authorized to announce A. G. Hagey.

as a candidate for Sheriff of Davidson the ensuing March election.

We are authorized to announce Robert F. Cattles, a candidate for Sheriff of Davidson sounty at the next March election. We are authorized to announce Roscinsk Branch as a candidate for Sheriff of Davidso county at the ensuing March election. doct-te. We are authorized to announce as a candidate for Sheriff of Davis

OMINOUS FOR THE FARMERS.—The Woodstock (Wisconsin) Sentiael says con-siderable excitement exists in Nunda, rela-CATAWBA GRAPES. 6,000 CATAWBA GRAPE VINE ROO 100 BARRELS ONIONS, IN GOOD OR DER, just received and for sale low. "MEDARY & BURKE, Southeast corner Broad and Market site.

as a candidate for Sheriff, at the ensting ele

om the Richmond Times.] A measure is on foot among the members of the medical profession in this city, for the formation of an association, to be known as the "Academy of Medicine." The object of the association is to encourage and facilitate the employment of the obvious advantages of free intercourse and consultation and discussion among the members of the profes-sion. One admireble feature in their organ-ization is the appointment of several "sections" or committees, one for each of the general divisions of the Science of Medicine, whose duty it will be to examine all contri-butions, essays, &c., and to decide as to their

The Academy will doubtless embrace all of the respectable professional talent in the city. It will thus have the moral weight ence to enforce the general of

ance of such necessary rules and regulation as may be required for the more effective pro-tection of the profession and the community at large, against the impositions of quacks and charlatans. Under proper management it may, within the limits of its jurisdiction, constitute itself the tribunal, before which all andidates for practice will have to establish candidates for practice will have to establish their proficiency and competence. In this capacity it would serve a most useful and important end, in supplying a want which cannot well be met in any other way.

Under the centralized government of Europe, the learned professions are regularly organized State institutions, and are the subject of special watchfulness and protection. In England, as the lawyers are classified according to the divisions of the law into Common, Civil, and Canonical, and are again sub-divided into doctors, and sergeants, and solicitors, and barristers, and attorneys.

and solicitors, and barristers, and attorneys and conveyancers, &c., each class being con-fined in their practice to certain specified subjects and branches of law; so are the physicians divided into Doctors of Medicine, Surgeons and General practitioners. The English general practitioners combine the functions of physician and apothecary. Both they and the surgeons are educated at Apothecary Hall and the Royal College of Surgeons, in London. The course of study is six years—four of which are mainly devoted to learning the duties of an apothecary. CERTS this evening and to-morrow evening. (Thursday and Friday.) at the Church, on the corner of Elm and Summer streets, South Nashville.

We would advise everybody to go, as it is a praiseworthy object, and we can assure them that they will be highly pleased with the entertainment. Admission, FIFTY CENTS.

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Call at Benson's Music Store, 34 Union street, if you want a cheap Album, Writing Desk, Port Folio, or anything in the shape of a Christmas present, as we are selling at cost to close out.

dec 23-dtf. to learning the duties of an apothe

This degree of perfection of organization is not attainable in this country; where any joint stock company is at liberty to set up a Medical College, as a money specul Similiar advantages may, however, be secured by the action of the profession itself, in establishing just such associations as that now being formed in Richmond. The profession will have to hedge itself in, not only with conventional rules and laws of etiquette; but with more substantial barriers, in the form of actual tests of merit and proficient to be made the condition of admission terms of professional equality.

In France there are corresponding clas-ifications of Doctors of Medicine, Surgeons sincations of Doctors of Medicine, Surgeons and Health Officers. The degree of Doctor of Medicine may be conferred by either of the faculties or Superior Schools at Paris, Strasburg and Montepelier. Before matriculation in these schools, the student must show the diploma of bachelier es lettres; and at the end of three years, that of bachelier essciences, in the University of France. The regular course is five years; two of which are especially devoted to the study of colgo over a part of the course at one of the Superior Schools, or are instructed in one of the Secondary Schools, of which there are many. They are, however, either examined by the faculty or before some Professor belonging to it; and can only fessor belonging to it; and can only practice in the department in which they are

"WATERFALLS" OF HEATHEN ORIGIN .-Our lady readers may be surprised to hear that the present styles of wearing the hair in nets was practiced by the wild Karens in Burmah, more than thirty years ago. In a letter which Dr. Judson wrote thirty-four years ago, he said: "On one Karen lady le counted between twelve and fifteen neck laces of all colors, sizes, and material Three was the average. Brass belts above the ankles; neat braids of black hair tied below the knees; rings of all sorts on the fingers; bracelets on the wrists and arms ong instruments of some metal, perforating the lower part of the ear by an immens aperture, and reaching nearly to the shou der; fancifully constructed bags enclosing the hair, and suspended from the back par of the head, not to speak of their clothing constituted the fashion and the ton of the

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OFFICE OF THE UNION AND AMERICAN, SATURDAY Dec. 30. COTTON—The tendency of Cotton is decidedly upward. The offerings were light yesterday, i consequence of which, and because of private advices, holders were wary, and buyers rather eager, at 41 to 4214. For strictly extra lots sellers obtained from 42% to 43. Private telegrams from New York, yesterday

quoted middling at 52 to 54 with an active market and heavy receipts. GROCHRIES.-The trade in groceries yesterda was quiet but satisfactory to our merchants. There

are no large transactions to note, and little or no change in our quotations. The principal trade has been local, owing to a break in one of the principal Railroads leading South. COFFEE.-The stock in market is ample, at our

MOLASSES AND SYRUP.-The stock in market is good, with very limited demand at former quota Segan .- We note a quiet market, limited trans-

ctions and no change in former quotation NAILS.-The receipts have increased on account robably of the reduction of freights. Hence a light decline in prices. We quote ten pennies at \$8.75, with 25 cents additional for each smaller

FLOUR,-In the East the market has advancedbut a large stock on hand here has prevented any material variation in this market. The market is stiff, and yesterday neither side made any quota-

BACON AND LARD.-The market very quiet. But little new bacon offering, and demand light. Our

Some new lard was offered and there seen be a disposition to take hold at 22623, and i kegs at 24@95 Liquors .- During the week there has been

very heavy demand in this line; but the stocks were ample, and we have no material alteration to make in our previous quotations.

Cincinnati Market. [By Telegraph.] CINCINNATI, Dec. 30.

FLOUR-Unchanged and quiet. GRAIN.-Wheat quiet; prime old \$1 95@200, an new red \$1 75. Corn quiet; shelled 60c, ear 58c Oats dull: prices declined to 38146639e in Elevator Rye quiet, at 75c for prime. Hogs-Active and prices advanced to 12@1234 and 1254 seems to be the outside rate offered b packers. About 12,000 head sold at 12@12%. Reeipts, 5,200 head. PROVISIONS.-Mess pork in large demand :

29650c, according to brand : Bulk meats 1234, 1534

@1734 Green meats 10, 13@17 for shoulders, side and hams. Lard declined to 08, and rather dull. Corron-Middling 47@48. GROCERIES-Quiet. WHISKY-Dull, and prices irregular; it is offer ed at \$2.23@2.25@2.26 in bond.

The Cumberland is still rising. The Surlight left yesterday for Cincinnati, and the Native for Arkansas river, both with fine cargoes The A. Baker arrived yesterday from Sm land, and the Roscens was expected from Cincin-

BERMUDA FOR NASHVILLE.—Captain Zvins will lear the Bermuda for Nashville at five o'clock this rening from the city wharf. TENPEST FOR NASHVILLE.-The Indepen Nashville packet Tempest, Captain Dan Parr commanding, arrived in port last evening, and will positively depart for Nashville this evening at five o'clock.—Louisville Journal.

At Pittsburgh the river is rising, with twelve feet in the channel last night by the Monongahela marks. Here, the river has risen 2% feet during the twenty-four hours, ending last night. There are furly feet hence to Louisville. There are ten feet over the Pails, and twenty-five on the shoalest bars along the Lower Ohio. Navigation is suspended in the Mississippi from St. Louis to Cairo by ice.—Cincianati Commercial. wippi from St. Louis to

Midnight Dispatches.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Trial of Admiral Trouble in the Custom House

Among Employees. Embezzlement by a New York

Our Mexican Relations.

Official.

Very Important Action of the Administration.

Loss of the Steamer Constitu tion.

Death of Artemus Ward.

a New York Hotel Burner. Discharged.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30 .- The Commercial's Washington special says: Commodore Shadrick will be President of the Court

25 barrels Robertson County Whisky; 25 barrels Bourbon Whisky; of the cashier to pay them off for the month of December, as was expected. The pay day has been deferred until Tuesday.

A communication was handed into the Board of Aldermen this morning, from D, R. Bradford, late Public Administrator, 100 barrels and half barrels Mackerel;

and confessing that this amount had been improperly used by him while holding office, and was lost in stock speculations. He says no one but himself knew he had 50 cases assorted Pickles, quart and pint; become improperly possessed of the funds or derived in any manner any advantage from embezzlement. Says he has assigned all the effects and property of his wife to a trustee, to pay first his bondsmen, and then the city, towards liquidating the deficiency which will

appear upon settlement of his accounts.

Edward B. Ketchum, formerly of the firm of Morris, Ketchum, Son & Co., was to-day arraigned in the court of General Sessions, and was sentenced by Recorder Hoffman to be confined in State Prison for the period of four years and six months. The prisoner 20 cases Smoking Tobacco; 50 dozen Brooms; arraigned in the court of General Sess entered the court room accompanied by his father and three of his brothers. His face was deadly pale, but he exhibited no tre-pidation, although his features showed he had endured much mental suffering. His father's manifestations of grief was intense. and his brothers were visibly affected.

passed sentence as before mentioned. WORCESTER, MASS., Dec. 30 .- An inqu who were found dead at their residence or

pers have erroneously stated that Captain Semmes is kept in chains. Ex-Secretary of the Interior, Mr. Usher of Indiana, is among the latest arrivals.

state that but a portion of the crew of the Steamer Constitution were saved, leaving 40 passengers lost, among the passengers was J. Fitzgerald, lately attached to the Savannah Herald. The Constitution had 720 bales of cotton on board. She was 1,000 tons burder and was valued at \$150,000.

habeas corpus, from the custody of General Hooker. Martin was then arrested by the United States Commissioner on a charge

Up to six o'clock this P. M., no verdict had been rendered in the Strong divorce

should not be disturbed. Report says a pledge has been given by our Government that no interference will be allowed. The reason of the Administration ly number of Austrian and Belgian troops to fall back upon, and besides these, he has a contingent of 2,000 to draw upon yearly,

for several years to come. WILMINGTON, N. C. Dec. 30.-The steam er Constitution, Capt. Gorman, left Savannah for New York on the 23rd inst., with 74 passengers and 700 bales of cotton she. Struck on the southern point of Lookout Shoals on Tuesday morning at 4 o'clock where she re mained 48 hours, the captain with 12 of the crew and one passenger, W. P. Long, of Brooklyn, New York, was saved. They landed at Cape Lookout light house at 4 o'clock P. M. Thursday, thence to Moreland

city. Forty of the passengers of this illfated vessel perished. The survivors left More-land city for New York this evening. Toronto, C, W., Dec. 30.—Hon. Ferguson Blair has accepted the vacant seat in the Cabinet, vice Hon. Geo. Brown resigned There will be no change in the policy of the Government regarding the confederation and other important questions.

New York, Dec. 30.—The Herald's For-

terview with her husband in his prison.

The jury in the Strong divorce case are still out, and there is no immediate prospect of their agreeing upon a verdict.

San Francisco, Dec. 30. A dispatch has been received here from Portland, Oregon, saying that the steamer Cassade had succeeded in reaching Columbia river with passengers who started overland, some of whom were badly frozen. The River is almost clear to Astoria.

EFFECT OF KINDNESS.—The Memphis Bulletin, alluding to the liberal overtures made to the South and the Confederate troops in the closing hours of the war, says:
"We happen to know that such was the
effect upon Southern soldiers, of Sherman's. Grant's, Lincoln's, and Johnson's liberality to the South, in their proposed terms of ad-justment, that three Brigadners, with Colo-nels and subordinate officers of Forrest's command, proposed to join Juarez with two thousand men, and aid in the expulsion of

"The plan was not consummated, simply because Juarer's representative in a Southern city had no money, and Forrest's men and officers were penniless. These facts are of our own knowledge."

There are politicians at the North, who are seeking to control public affairs, who deem it proper now, however, to disregard are seeking to control public affairs, who doem it proper now, however, to disregard the sugggestions of statesmanship, and the lessons of experience of which the above is one, and to treat with contempt honorable commitments which attended the surrender in order to institute a harsh, bloody, and revengeful policy towards the South. Whether they would not promote the prosperity and strength of the country by a contrary course, is an inquiry that they do not allow to come between them and their passions. We hope their constituents will be wiser than they.—Richmond Sentine!

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Gen. Grant will attend the wedding of Gen. Wilson, who captured Jeff. Davis, at Wilmington, on Tuesday.

Considerable annoyance was felt this morning, by the employees in the Custom House, on account of the failure on the part 500 barrels Flour, of all grades; 1000 sacks Bran; 2000 barrels Salt;

stating that the annual report for 1865 would show a deficiency of \$40,000 in that office.

100 hags Shot

The court room was crowded with spectators when the clerk of the court asked, "what have you to say why judgment should not be passed against you." He responded in a full voice, "nothing." The Recorder then

Friday morning, resulted in a verdict, died from inhaling gas. Washington, Dec. 30.—Some of the pa-

Oswego, N. Y., Dec. 30.—The Oswego and Rome Railroad is completed and passenger and freight trains will commence running on Monday next.

New YORK, Dec. 30.—Private advices

And will allow the highest market prices. dec30-3m NEW YORK, Dec. 30 .- Judge Leonard, in the Supreme Court to-day, discharged Mar-Classical, Mathematical and English tin the accomplice of Kennedy, on a writ of School .--- The Exercises of my School will be resumed on MONDAY, THE FIRST OF JANU ARY, 1866, in the Rooms in the Southeast corner

of the First Presbyterian Church, Entrance from Spring street. Additional Pupils can be

New York, Dec. 30.-A Washington special correspondent says: A statement with reference to the exact meaning of the rumors concerning the withdrawal of the French troops from Mexico, will be likely to receive official confirmation in a few days. When these rumors first appeared they came originally from France, whereas the condition attending the withdrawal, and that condition was an assurance from this Govern-ment to Napoleon his Emperor in Mexico

guaranteeing this non-interference no doubt is the result of a belief that the Liberals will be able to make short work of Maximilian when once the French bayonets are withdrawn, but we should not be too sure of this. Maximilian will still have a good-

tress Monroe correspondent says that C. C. Clay has recently been permitted by the President to receive a visit from his wife. Mrs. Clay arrived there on Thursday of this week, and was soon after admitted to an in-

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Seventh—A lot on lower Water street, adjoin— 104 feet.

Eighth—Three lots in Wetmere's Addition to Edgefield, adjoining the south side of Robt. Stewart's property, and being each 50 by 150 feet.

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50 dozen Bed Cords;
36 barrels Butler's Blacking;
1000 Flour Sacks;
50 boxes Candy;
47 cases Baltimore Oysters;
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175 packages
100 bexes Starch;
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40 caska Soda;
75 bble Syrup;
20 boxes Popper;
25 boxes Spice;
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20 boxes Mustard;
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30 Caddies do;
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